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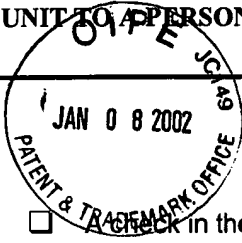
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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, it is requested that the following references, which are also listed on the attached Form PTO-1449, be made of record in the above-identified case.

1. International Patent Application No. WO 96/21900, dated July 18, 1996;
2. Japanese Patent Application No. 10-173802, dated June 26, 1998, together with an English-Language Abstract;
3. European Patent Application No. EP 0 889 659 A2, dated January 7, 1999;
4. UK Patent Application No. GB 2 334 413 A, dated August 18, 1999;

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5. UK Patent Application No. GB 2 354 122 A, dated March 14, 2001; and
6. European Patent Application No. EP 1 113 562 A1, dated July 4, 2001.

The references were cited in a Search Report received from the United Kingdom Patent Office, dated September 13, 2001. Applicant is submitting copies of the above-cited references, together with a copy of the Search Report. The relevance of the above-identified references has been described in the Search Report.

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